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22 April 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

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FROM : [REDACTED]  
Deputy Director of Training

SUBJECT: DDA Staff Meeting - 22 April 1976

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1. Blake began the meeting by welcoming [REDACTED] representing Finance. He announced that the Director had talked to the senior staff after his meeting yesterday morning and he passed on information "to be reasonably closely held" which he said would undoubtedly be announced today.

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[REDACTED] will be the new DDCI effective, I believe he said, 1 June. Blake also stated that a position of "Chief of Staff" to the DCI, with duties as yet undefined, will be established with [REDACTED] as the first incumbent. He commented that for the first time since General Cabell was DDCI the Agency will have a general deputy through whom all elements will report in order to get to the DCI.

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2. After a pass from Commo, Janney reported on a talk with [REDACTED] on the subject of staffing the IC Staff. He indicated that [REDACTED] plans to increase the number of GS-18s in ICS from two to eight. Other increases of EPs and other supergrades are not known. Janney apparently expects that any increases in ICS will come at the expense of the Agency grade structure.

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3. [REDACTED] reported that he had been in last night pushing tapes.

4. Security reported that there is a backlog of from 20-25 in the number of summer applicants. At Blake's request, he went on to explain what this really means is that from 20-25 summer applicants have derogatory information uncovered by Security, and a decision will have to be made concerning hiring by the Senior Panel chaired by Blake with Security, Personnel and Medical representation. Blake expects there will be some irate parents.

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5. [REDACTED] referred to [REDACTED] accident and indicated that OMS last evening had received a report that he was doing fairly well. At Blake's request, I described briefly for others present [REDACTED] accident. After mentioning the Board of Inquiry that the DTR has established, Blake stated that he wanted the Board to pursue its work vigorously, and that he particularly wanted [REDACTED]

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6. After passes from [REDACTED] I reported that the MOTC will depart on the field trip to [REDACTED] this evening, accompanied by [REDACTED] Blake wanted to know the method of transportation, which is charter arranged through Defense.

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7. I also reported the exchange between the EEO Staff and the Registration Group concerning age guidelines of attendance in external courses and in our own courses. Gambino went on to comment on a recent exchange with the EEO Staff over their request to post names and photographs of EEO counselors. Blake, McMahon and [REDACTED] as well as Gambino, agreed that it was necessary to be consistent in publicizing names and identities of Agency personnel for different purposes.

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8. After the meeting, I reported to ADDA that [REDACTED] would be talking with [REDACTED] and the [REDACTED] on Friday at [REDACTED] McMahon commented that it appears it is [REDACTED] who really has need of psychiatric assistance, not the [REDACTED]. I observed that this is also the view of the senior people at the Station.

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9. I gave McMahon a copy of [REDACTED] memorandum of 7 April and reported that [REDACTED] indicates he is the "action officer" in the ICS. ADDA said don't worry, "we will cut off their water."

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